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Response to Office Action dated October 18, 2010

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Docket: CU-5009

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

INVENTOR: Hideyuki MIYAKE et al.)
SERIAL NO: 10/589,376) EXAMINER: Kosar, Aaron J.
FILED: 08/14/2006) GROUP ART UNIT: 1651
TITLE: CELL CULTURE PATTERNING SUBSTRATE

MAIL STOP RCE
THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

REQUEST FOR A THREE (3) MONTH EXTENSION

Dear Sir:

With reference to the Office Action dated October 18, 2010, the Applicant respectfully requests a three-month extension of the response term. The Commissioner is authorized to charge our Deposit Account No. 12-0400 in the amount of \$1,110.00, to cover the fee for this three (3) month extension, or any required fees in excess of the amount submitted, or credit any overpayment.

Respectfully submitted,



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